

It seems fitting that in the first issue of the CAMPUS CRIER we spotlight the "first person" of student government, Fred Stephenson. Last Spring, Fred was elected Fresident of the student body. Student government work was not new to him then. He had served as president of his sophomore and junior class. In the Senate for two years he acted as Parliamentarian. Along with these interests, much of his time was occupied in committee work. Fred was chairman of the Community Relations and Parent's Day Committees and served on the orientation and several Senate committees.

Outside student government, Fred sings tenor in the Elon College Choir and Quartet. He is a member of Sigma Mu Sigma Fraternity, where he was corresponding secretary his sophomore and junior years.

Because of his impressive 3.30 grade point average, Fred was chosen last year for the Order of the Oak. He has a major in math and a minor in physics and plans to practice teach this semester.

As for his plans after graduation in May, Fred isn't sure. He has been accepted by North Carolina State for graduate study in math. He would also like to teach or work in industry.

Fred came to Elon College from Greenville, Rhode Island. He describes his home state as, "A good place to live when the tide isn"t in." He chose Elon because his sister and many other relatives are graduates.

He admits that his first love is athletics. Other likes include singing, working at camp (he was a baker at a Vermont camp for four years), woodworking, people, and blueberry muffins (preferably his own).

I ventured to ask him what he thought could be done to improve Elon. E reply was, "A lot of people want Elon to be something they can be proud of but won't do enough to make Elon, proud of them." As for Elon's assets, Fred said one was its people.

His biggest repret at this point is that he probably will not be able to go back to camp. Since he acquired the nickname of the "Rotten Baker" his fellow campers don't seem to have the same regret.



A resolution has recently been passed in the student senate involving the investigation of the prices on books and other articles sold in the Elon College bookstore. The bookstore is being asked to clarify its policy on pricing these articles, and a group of people are comparing these prices with the prices of books and other articles in college bookstores in the surrounding area. "The Opinionator" asked students for their views on this matter of "over-priced" articles.

Owen Shields - Senior

I definitely think that the bookstore should consent to an investigation because it seems apparent that the prices are higher than other places. I think the student government should control the bookstore. The students are in a position to understand the